MINUTES BLOOMINGTON MUNICIPAL ADVISORY COUNCIL (MAC)

Tuesday, August 6, 2013 at 7:00 p.m.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER Meeting was called to order at 7:05 pm.
- 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE Eric Scott

3. ROLL CALL OF MAC MEMBERS

Jackie Cox - Present

Betty Gosney - Present

Israel Fuentes - Present

Gregory Ware - Present

Adrian McDaniel - Present

Eric Scott, Alternate - Present

4. DIGNITARIES ATTENDANCE:

None

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Minutes of the June 4, 2013 were approved.

6. GOVERNMENT STAFF REPORTS:

<u>Sheriff's Department</u> –Sgt. Silva reported that the SMASH Team conducted a sweep through the Bloomington area.

<u>Supervisor Gonzales' Office</u> – Laura spoke about the Bloomington Community Fair that is happening on Saturday, August 24th at Truth Tabernacle Church. The County along with the developers are holding the fair to get the word out about the Affordable Housing and Library Project.

7. DISCUSSION ITEMS:

Special Districts – Tim Millington

Tim spoke about the current situation of the Bloomington Recreation and Park District and showed everyone how it is operating with a deficit and the need for change to keep the district from dissolving. He discussed the different services that can provided by the district depending on needs and financial feasibility.

A survey was suggested to find out what services the residents of Bloomington would like to have in a Community Service Area.

8. PUBLIC COMMENT:

Ashley Jones – Representative for Assembly Member Cheryl Brown's Office – Spoke about the "Tools for Success Day" that is being hosted by Assembly Member Brown at Ayala Park on Saturday, August 17th. There will be free backpacks, school supplies, health screenings, food and gifts!

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9. MAC MEMBER COMMENT:

Eric Scott – No report.

Adrian McDaniel – No report.

Betty Gosney – spoke about her attendance at the Community Engagement Meeting.

Jackie Cox – spoke about her attendance at the Community Engagement Meeting.

Israel Fuentes – spoke about the volunteer opportunities with the Sheriff's Department and to contact himself, Sgt. Silva or David Jayne if interested. He also introduced Yamilet Roa, Prevention Specialist with Mental Health Systems and spoke about the Community Engagement Meeting and that he was acquiring the data for the Bloomington area.

Laura Orozco – welcomed Eric Scott back.

10. ADJOURN MEETING:

Jackie Cox adjourned the meeting at 8:45 PM.

NEXT MEETING September 3, 2013 at 7:00 p.m.